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## REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Upon entry of the foregoing amendments, claims 19-28 will be pending in this patent application. Claims 1-18 have been canceled. Support for the amendments can be found in Applicants' specification at, for example, pages 15-16. No new matter has been added.

Applicants believe that claims 19-28 are in condition for allowance. An early allowance of all of pending claims is therefore earnestly solicited.

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